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Look Busy at Work

A free in-browser page disguise tool that turns any URL into a realistic work app screen.

About

Look Busy at Work is a page disguise tool for reading anything while it appears like work on screen. SneakRead lets you paste a link and view it inside believable interfaces such as VS Code, Word, Google Docs, Notion, Slack, and other office-style layouts, with a boss key that hides the page quickly.

What is Look Busy at Work?

Look Busy at Work is a page disguise tool built around SneakRead, a browser app that makes a web page look like everyday work software. It is designed for people who want to read an article, document, or web page while keeping a work-like screen visible.

The app runs in the browser, is described as free, and does not require a desktop install from the available source material. Its main idea is simple: paste a URL, pick a disguise, and keep browsing inside a fake workspace instead of a normal tab.

The current interface shows that the tool can present a page as several well-known work apps, including VS Code, Word, Google Docs, Notion, Slack, Lark, DingTalk, WeCom, WPS, Excel, Outlook, Teams, Gmail, and Claude Code. That makes Look Busy at Work more flexible than a single-theme screen masker.

Key features

Look Busy at Work focuses on a small set of practical features that support the core page disguise use case.

- 15 disguises are listed in the site copy, covering editors, docs, chat, mail, and spreadsheet-style screens.
- Full-screen viewing helps the disguise fill the display instead of looking like a small embedded window.
- An Esc boss key can flip to a budget spreadsheet instantly, which is the app's fastest way to hide what is on screen.
- "Read any URL" means you can paste a link and turn it into readable text inside the disguise.
- Disguised browsing lets you click links and keep reading without leaving the fake interface.
- The app is open source under the MIT license, and the site points to GitHub.
- The recent-file behavior is described as local to the browser, not stored on the server.

Look Busy at Work is especially useful if you want a page disguise tool that can move between reading mode and cover mode without a lot of setup. The combination of multiple skins and the boss key is the main reason it stands out.

How to use it

Using Look Busy at Work is straightforward because the app is browser-based and centered on URL input.

- Paste the page link you want to read.
- Choose a disguise such as Word, VS Code, Notion, Slack, Gmail, or another supported layout.
- Switch to full screen if you want the page disguise tool to look more convincing.
- Use the disguised browser view to continue reading and open links.
- Press Esc whenever you need the boss screen behavior described on the site.

The app also mentions a shortcut guide with "⌘ K" for opening a link, switching apps, or hiding your screen. That suggests the interface is optimized for quick switching rather than deep customization.

Who it is for

Look Busy at Work is for people who want a page disguise tool for casual, personal reading at a desk.

- Readers who want to open articles or references in a more work-like window.
- Users who prefer browser-only tools and do not want to install desktop software.
- People who need several disguise styles instead of just one fake editor or fake document view.
- Anyone who values a quick boss key and simple link-paste workflow.
- Open-source fans who like MIT-licensed tools and visible GitHub projects.

It is not aimed at teams building internal compliance systems, enterprise monitoring, or serious content management. The value is in the visual disguise and the convenience of reading a URL inside a familiar work UI.

What to know before you use it

Look Busy at Work is a page disguise tool, not a privacy shield or a network-level hiding service. The site says only the disguise shows and that recent files stay in your browser, but you should still treat it as a visual layer rather than a guarantee of secrecy.

A few practical caveats matter:

- The app does not claim to block screenshots, device monitoring, or admin tools

It does not appear to offer account management, sync, or server-side document storage in the source material.

The “can my boss see the real page?” wording is answered on the site in a very specific context, so do not treat it as a universal security promise.

If you need an official source for a document, article, or internal policy, use the original page or the authoritative app rather than relying on the disguised view.

The available information suggests browser-only operation, so offline behavior is unknown.

Used as intended, Look Busy at Work is a lightweight page disguise tool for opening a URL, keeping it readable, and switching out quickly when needed. If you want a simple way to make a web page look like work, this page disguise tool stays focused on that one job.

FAQ

Is SneakRead free?

Is Look Busy at Work free to use?

Can my boss see the real page?

What platforms does Look Busy at Work support?

Does SneakRead store what I read?

What can this page disguise tool mimic?

Which apps can SneakRead mimic?

Does it save what I read?

How do I hide the screen quickly?

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